# PBCH Newsletter November, 2018 Tails and Trails

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The 10% discount on animal feed at the North 40 Store program has been discontinued.

**Life Flight memberships**. The yearly dues are \$50 for BCHI members. Important to have in case of medevac emergency during trail riding or other events. Pick up an application at meeting.

#### 2019 Calendars are Available!!

Contact Karen Kimball 208-699-5268 to purchase yours for the upcoming year. These are a main fundraiser for the BCHI organization. \$20 for the calendar and entry of the drawing raffle card for one of 12 prizes. The 2018 raffle will be held in December.

#### **Business Card Sponsorships**

The sponsorships help the chapter's bottom line. They are inexpensive for members at \$10 per year. Non-members can become a sponsor also for \$30 per year. This includes your business card in the monthly newsletter and your card will be listed on the web site. This is a great price for advertising!

PBCH, P.O. Box 1903, Hayden, ID 83835.

#### Other activities

Saturday, Feb. 2, 2019. 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Equine Education Day sponsored by McKinlay Peters Equine Hospital. 9 a.m. at Center Place Regional Event Center.

State BCHI convention. Idaho Falls on March 22-23. Shilo Inn.

## From the president Karen Kimball

We have several things to tend to in the next couple of meetings. November is our election of officers. We have a person for each position but are taking nomination from the floor and always looking for new people to help out.

Instead of having a Christmas Party we will have an end-of-year party in January. Please watch for details or come to the next meeting to help us decide which restaurant and a menu.

In December we will have a cookie exchange and try to wrap up old business, including a fund raiser for next year.

We have less than a box of calendars left and my goal was to get them all sold by the end of the year. If your haven't purchased one or more please do so. If you can't make it to a meeting you can call me at 208-699-5268 and I will see that we get it to you. They make great Christmas gifts. We need to sell them all, it makes a different in our budget and it helps out BCH of Idaho.

Please try to make the meetings as we need a quorum to pass any voting. Thank you

#### **Calendar of Events**

**Saturday, November 1**7 monthly meeting. 6:30 guest speaker Bryant Robinson, park ranger for Spokane County Parks. He would like our support in recording our hours when riding in some Washington trailheads for a grant he is writing.

Also at the meeting officers for 2019 will be elected.

There will be an order catalog for those wanting to purchase a t-shirt or jacket with PBCH logo.

Location 6360 4<sup>th</sup> St. Dalton Gardens City Hall. Please attend.

**Saturday, December 15** monthly meeting. Cookie exchange. Final plans for end-of-year party to be held in January.



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## Minutes of October 20, 2018 meeting

Call to order: 7:05 PM 16 members in attendance

**Pledge** 

Any Guests: None

Minutes-from Sept 19 2018 Approved

Treasurer's report- ready Jamie motion Betsy 2nd, approved

Agenda

2019 Calendars are here \$20, 2018 are \$10 The drawing for the prize on the 2019 calendar will be end Sept of 2019 and 2018 will be end of Dec 2018

Christmas Party: Still working on getting a location. Much discussion was had about where ,what, and when. Lots of suggestions are made of options. Karen is looking to any suggestions of where? Possible to have the party in January rather than December? The fundraising committee will work on organizing what PBCH will being doing at the party, (i.e. silent auction etc, other fun stuff.)

State board of Directors meeting: In Moscow Sept 22nd. They talked about productive ways in which to sale the 2019 calendars. Much discussion was had about "no trace left behind" training. PBCH is looking into how many are interested and where to have it. Convention will be @ Shilo Inn in Idaho Falls March 22-23 2019. Suggestions was made to talk to North 40 to set up a both for PBCH to sale calendars.

**Safety Helmets**: Karen brought a 2 helmets to show what would protect.. The AEI riding helmet that she brought failed the 4 hits test where as the helmet hard hat that the first service would have only dented. Forest service said they would help with helmets for us.

**Repairing Storage Trailer:** Arnie explained to the members what would needed to do be done for repairs to improve the the overall integrity of the trailer. Karen asked for a motion to be made. Motion by Joni: Tarp it for this winter and do the repairs in the spring, Matt 2nd. Approved.

**T-Shirts**: we would need about 12+ to make it financially feasible order to the members. T-shirts, sweatshirts, jackets Karen asked Joni to put in the news letter for anyone interested.

Fundraisers for 2019: has been some talk about having a possible trail obstacle course? Looking for more ideas.

Officers Nomination: for sure need a treasurer. Will look into what other positions need to be filled

If you are a Idaho BCH member you can come join in on any Chapter of Idaho BCH organized Trail ride. So if PBCH has a member trailer ride Anyone whom is a Idaho BCH can come participate.

Progressive Pot Sept 19th Meeting (\$112)winner: April Linscott

Next PBCH Meeting November 17<sup>th</sup>. Motion to adjourn meeting made and accepted 8:18PM

Minutes submitted by Candice Countryman, acting secretary

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2018 PBCH Officers and board members:

Karen Kimball, president 772-2434; Arnie Wilkens, vice-pres. 755-2193; Julie Volpi, secretary 805-674-6807; and Susan Purdy, treasurer, 772-4210. Board members: Bob Funke 660-7919; Bill Clarke 687-1968; Ray Heilman 660-2907; and Jill Graham, 660-5549. Jerry Shriner, public lands coordinator. Joni Lueck, newsletter editor, 659-9066. Jill Graham, trail committee chair email kooy04@gmail.com

Your business card could go here each month for \$30 for non-members and \$10 for members. Now this is a yearly price; not a monthly price. What a great deal! Also the business card is put on the website <a href="www.pbch.org">www.pbch.org</a> This is a fundraiser for the chapter!

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